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Docket No. 287.0001 0101****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s):	DARGONTINA et al.	)	Group Art Unit:	1711
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Serial No.:	10/000,057	)	Examiner:	Thao T. Tran
Confirmation No.:	9505	)		
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Filed:	November 1, 2001	)		
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For:	ABRASION RESISTANT COATING FOR STACKS OF FIBER CEMENT <u>SIDING</u>			

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 5, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on the page entitled "Amendments to the Claims."

Remarks begin on the page entitled "Remarks."